

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

APRIL 18, 1860.—Ordered to be printed.

Mr. GRIMES made the following

REPORT.

[To accompany Bill S. 291.]

*The Committee on Pensions, to whom were referred the petition and Senate bill No. 291, for the relief of Mary Preston, widow of George Preston, beg leave to report:*

That it appears from the records of the War Department the husband of petitioner served in the United States army as private, sergeant, and ordnance sergeant, for above thirty-six years, continuously, and died at Fort Smith, Arkansas, February 7, 1859.

The widow now prays a pension. The committee, therefore, report back the accompanying bill for her relief, without amendment, and recommend its passage.

